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Vicki Brooker photo

Craft-loving community shows off creations

Crafts of all kinds, from painstakingly stitched needlework to carefully arranged scrapbook pages, from whimsical Christmas decorations to a well-researched family tree, were part of the Arts, Crafts and Hobbies section at the Horticulture and Craft Show. The new Quilting section in the background, formerly part of the Crafts lineup, expanded to fill a sizeable area with eye-catching fabric art.

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

After three wins in a row by local entrant Christina Brown, the Elk Point Horticulture and Craft Show's Grand Aggregate title for 2007 went to Cold Lake's Lillian Balazs, who also won the aggregate in 2002 and 2003, and placed third last year and second in 2005.

Balazs, who has been entering the fair since "around 2000," was "in total shock" when her name was announced as the winner. "I knew I had done well in some categories, but didn't think I had enough for the aggregate."

Overall wins in the Canning and Flowers sections and a tie with Dolores Mohyluk in the Vegetables also went to Balazs, who also had entries in the Baking, Sewing, Fresh Fruit, House Plants, Knitting/Crochet/Weaving and Arts, Crafts and Hobbies sections.

"I'm an all-around entrant," Balazs said, adding that she had "around 70 or 75 entries" in all.

"I keep it to where it's enjoyable. More would make it like work."

Balazs says she does "a fair amount of crafts," and added that many of her fair entries will end up in a bazaar this fall.

CJ Petroleum sponsored the Grand Aggregate plaque and Elk Point Agricultural Society the accompanying \$50 cash prize, while the Empress Family Restaurant sponsored the Canning award, RONA the Flowers award and B & R Eckels the Vegetables award.

Christina Brown won the Baking award from Elk Point Co-op, the Fresh Fruit award from Woody's Trophy and Gifts, the Knitting/Crocheting award from Apple Drugs and the Seniors award from Weatherford BMW on the way to second place in the Grand Aggregate, with that award coming from B & R Eckels.

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Ninth annual Haying in the '30s deemed 'super successful'

By VICKI BROOKER
Staff Writer

A "super successful" ninth annual Haying in the '30s raised "a healthy \$165,000," according to a jubilant Edgar Corbiere. "We set a new record every year. People were very generous and this will go a long way toward helping cancer victims."

"Their goodwill will help to bring comfort and ease the burden of cost for those with this unasked-for disease."

Although rain had been forecast for the weekend, Corbiere is happy to report, "we had great weather to the end," with only a couple of minor showers. For the most part, "the clouds took a detour. Someone up there was looking out for us."

The event has come a long way from its inception in 1999, when "we had maybe 100 people come out. Their donations helped 12 people, and they spread the word."

This year "at least 3,000 people come through the gate on Saturday. There were probably 2,200 there for supper," Corbiere said. Through the weekend, he estimates an attendance of between 4,000 and 5,000, with visitors coming from not only the local area, but across the province and beyond its borders.

The County of St. Paul helped to spread the word about the event when they hosted the provincial agricultural service board tour in 2004, and visited the Haying in the 30s site for a demon-

stration. "Those people all went home talking about it," and a number of these visitors have since sent donations or returned for the event, Corbiere said.

The Mallaig farmer also spread the word while visiting other parts of the province. He told people he met on the steam train excursion out of Stettler about the event, and "five carloads of them came up."

Tourism delegates from all corners of Alberta also learned about the fundraiser when they attended the Travel Alberta Industry Conference last October in Edmonton where it was one of the finalists for the prestigious Alto Award for sustainable tourism.

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Vicki Brooker photo

Quilt show visitors examine one of several small quilted items created by Janice Blacklock before casting votes for their favourites. The carefully crafted piece of fabric art later won the award in that category.

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Horticulture, Craft Show

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Millie Orr placed third in the Grand Aggregate, with her award sponsored by E-Can Oilfield.

The 2007 Junior Grand Aggregate winner was Elizabeth Orr, who picked up the Grains and Hay award from Wozniak Bulk Fuels, Junior Knitting from the Ag Society and the Junior Fair award from E-Can, tied with Emily

Gillespie for Junior Photography, and split the Junior Sewing award with Eryn Smith and Andy Gillespie, the latter two awards also sponsored by the Ag Society.

Verona Lea Flanders was the winner in three categories, taking home the Elk Point Insurance ad for Arts, Crafts and Hobbies and a pair of B & R Eckels award s for Sewing and the new

Yard Art section.

Entries in the Sewing section doubled this year, and convenor Millie Orr said a complete overhaul of the categories is planned for the coming year to encourage even more entrants.

The Elk Point Review sponsors the Creative Writing section, with many-time winner Jennifer Flanders picking up another award in the adult category,

Leigha Bishop and Emily Gillespie tied in the 12 to 16 age group and Peter Gillespie winning the 11 and Under award.

Jackson Gillespie won the Junior Flowers section.

Ina Gillespie of Cold Lake was the winner in the House Plants section, the award sponsored by Moe's Greenhouse and Gardens.

Mike Van Der Hoek won the Home Town Grocers award in the Photography section, where convenor Lesia Sherwin said entries were up from 110 last year to 136, and were excellent in quality, making the section a real challenge for the judge.

Shamrock Valley Enterprises sponsored two new sections, with Doug Lindquist winning the Wines award and Rick Bilak the Beer title.

This year for the first time, Quilting had a section of its own, with the Ag Society's award going to Janice Blacklock.

Blacklock also received



Imaginative artwork and crafts ranging from plastic canvas work to a cardboard-tube caterpillar were part of the Junior Fair.

the most votes for one of her small items in the Quilt Show, while Horticulture and Craft Show chairman Donna Bassett received the most votes in the large items category for her Autumn Leaves quilt, with another of her creations a close run-

ner-up.

Fewer quilts were in the show than last year, but the 23 large and 25 small items still made an impressive display, lining almost half of the arena as well as covering a number of stands with the small items.

Haying in the 30s

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This year, donations came "from Lethbridge and across the border, up to the Mackenzie," Corbiere said, as well as from groups and individuals closer to home who grew plants, held a children's party, conducted a fundraising walk and a singing competition to support the fundraiser. Raffles and a live auction also added to the total, and a steady stream of visitors visited the 'bank' next to the entertainment tent to deposit cheques and cash donations. The raffle tent featured an array of photos of earlier fundraisers that, Corbiere said, "set a good example" of ways money can be raised for this worthy cause.

Volunteers also came from a wide area, Corbiere says. "We had help coming from as far away as Vancouver and way up north" to assist with the huge task of putting on the event. Volunteers assisted with cooking and serving food, driving the teams and tractors that hauled a steady stream of visitors from the parking lot and camping area, and helping out at the various event venues.

Other volunteers included the teamsters who brought their horses for the demonstrations of plowing, cultivating, disking, seeding and harrowing, as MC Dave Hutton gave a running commentary. The horsemen later took part in the haying operation, pulling the mower, dump rake and hay slide. One patient heavy horse was drafted for duty on the horse-powered hay baler and the well boring unit, four others pulled a vintage road grader.

Volunteers brought in and operated lum-

ber mills, a shingle mill, a wood splitter, a threshing machine and tractors to power the thresher and to pull a vintage binder and heavily loaded bundle racks. Others literally pitched in by climbing on the racks to pitch bundles into the thresher and hay into the baler, while others churned butter and ice cream, supervised the chore games, wrote out donation receipts and sold raffle tickets. Some volunteers were at work long before the event, helping to restore the series of newly-false-fronted buildings that provide venues for an antique photo parlour, a weaving shop, a blacksmith shop, a dairy and a knife sharpener.

Volunteer entertainers kept the music going throughout both days and long into Saturday evening at an old-fashioned country-style hoedown. Sunday morning featured an interfaith worship service followed by gospel music.

Sponsors play a huge role in the success of the event, which is free of charge to all who attend, other than any donation visitors wish to make. Huge lineups enjoyed burgers and hot dogs at lunchtime on Saturday, beef on a bun at suppertime and a pancake breakfast Sunday morning, all at no charge, thanks to the generosity of the sponsors.

"We went through two beef and a buffalo, plus the burgers and sausages," Corbiere said, "and the crew never stopped making more coffee."

"All in all, what can I say?" Corbiere concluded. "We had great people, a great labour force, great attendance and great sponsors. It was great all around."

Youth receives three years for Frog Lake murder

BY STAFF WRITERS

A 17-year-old youth who pled guilty to manslaughter in the death of a Frog Lake man received a youth custody sentence of three years at St. Paul provincial court on Aug. 8.

The youth, whose name cannot be published, will face two years of closed custody, followed by one year of supervision. He will get credit for three and a half months he has already spent in custody.

Seven people from Frog Lake were initially charged with first-degree murder in the death of 38-year-old Rocky Moyah, whose body was discovered on May 5,

2006 in Frog Lake. An autopsy revealed Moyah, an oil-field maintenance worker and father of four, died from blunt force trauma.

The ages of the accused, all from Frog Lake, ran from 12 to 18 at the time of murder.

"This was certainly a gang incident," Chief Crown Prosecutor Jeff Rudiak said at the youth's sentencing. Although the youth himself was not part of the gang, he played an active role in the murder of Moyah, said Rudiak.

"Mr. Moyah tried to run away several times," he said. The youth joined the group by holding down the

victim and kicking him, said Rudiak.

However, Rudiak acknowledged that the youth played a lesser role in the death of Moyah than other members of the group, and had taken responsibility for his actions in pleading guilty. Rudiak said the Crown has relied upon the youth's testimony and will rely upon his testimony in other suspects' trials.

Aaron Evan Smith, 19, received six years in prison after pleading guilty to manslaughter.

The other adult charged in the case, 19-year-old William Berland, will go to trial on Feb. 25 to 29, 2008.

One 15-year-old youth received a sentence of three years after pleading guilty to manslaughter in the case.

A second 17-year-old youth will face trial from Feb. 4 to 15, 2008, on first-degree murder charges.

The two youngest boys charged, both aged 12 at the time of the crime, pled guilty to common assault and have since received probation.

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Dated this 8th day of August A.D., 2007

Myron J. Goyan, Development Officer



Horticulture and Craft Show winners

Vicki Brooker photos

Winners at the Elk Point Horticulture and Craft Show included, front, left to right: Jennifer Flanders, Grand Aggregate runner-up Christina Brown, Grand Aggregate winner Lillian Balazs, Grand Aggregate third prize winner Millie Orr, Elizabeth Orr, Leigha Bishop; back, left to right: Mike Van Der Hoek, Verona Lea Flanders, Eryn Smith, Doug Lindquist, Delores Mohyluk, Ina Gillespie and Jackson Gillespie.

The people's choice

Donna Bassett and Verona Lea Flanders show off Donna's Autumn Leaves quilt, which was voted the most popular among 23 large quilts by those who viewed the quilt show on Sunday.



Enjoy the sites and sounds of Fort des Prairies Jamboree

An afternoon of music, great food and activities for the entire family will highlight the Fort des Prairies Jamboree at Fort George and Buckingham House Historic Site on Aug. 26. The Fort des Prairies Jamboree has long been a very popular event with a history of great music drawing people from across Alberta and Saskatchewan.

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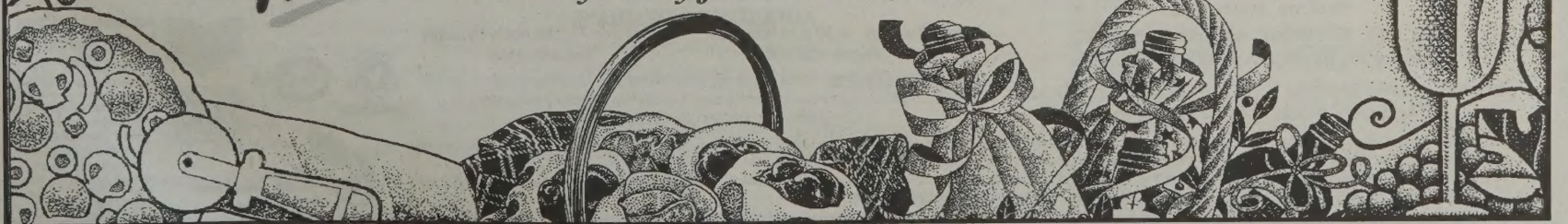
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Marie Lake storm getting bigger

The saying is that after the storm the sun shines brighter. Well the storm over Marie Lake is getting bigger and will be a defining moment for the province.

Oil companies might have won the first round of the fight by getting provincial approval to do seismic testing on Marie Lake, but if OSUM and the Tory government think it will be smooth sailing from here on, they are mistaken. We have not fought this hard and this long to be ignored. If they harm one fish in the lake the government will hear about it! If they cause a winter fish kill the government will never live it down.

The government has done its job to the letter, but not the will of the voters. Government is responsible to the people, not big corporations. I never understood the phrase bowing to big business, and still do not. Our oil is not going anywhere, and the demand is not going anywhere. Alberta bent over backwards to get the oil developed in this province, now we have to realize that the oil is attracting companies, and we do not have to bend over backward, we can choose what companies fit our needs. I sat through a day of hearings for the oil-sands consultations and all I could think is, "What am I going to say? I do not get paid to make smooth speeches with oh so subtle threats of moving business out of the province."

All I can say is save Alberta for future generations. Save Marie Lake and all other lakes and rivers for future generations. Marie Lake is not all that important in the scheme of things with unsanitary hospital conditions due to neglect, or the tent cities popping up all over the place, or the possibility that city blocks could be destroyed by fire if the fire codes are not changed or the raise in gangs and crime. All are signs of an overheated economy, it is a modern day gold rush out there.

Marie Lake is a shining example of the government neglecting the will of the people. Marie Lake is a rallying cry to all who think the government is too pro-business, and that the pace of oil-sands development is uncontrolled.

Marie Lake might fall as a martyr to the lack of foresight of the old Tory government. I understand that the mineral rights were sold in 2006, so it is likely an inherited problem for Premier Stelmach. But now is his moment to shine.

The fight is not over. Even if the government allows OSUM to do seismic, Premier Stelmach can state here and now that no surface leases will be sold for that area, that his government has listened to the public concerns to protect our lakes from exploitation. The government can inform OSUM that it would be foolish to do the seismic as it cannot develop the lease, without surface rights.

I have been asked what the next step in the fight is. We are the perfect opponent to fight, we are a scattered group of individuals, however we will fight to the end to protect our legacy for future generations. This is the mistake that was made when the mineral rights were sold without consultation. The government and oil companies are fragmenting us into small groups across the province. The silver lining of this storm is that all people fighting to protect their legacies will know they are not alone.

Yes the sun will shine bright on the future of Alberta if we work diligently to balance development with the will of the people. We will maintain the beauty of Alberta that attracted our forefathers to this land. We will be prosperous. We will have the quality of life that the government brags is so important. We will have time to spend with our families and special places to take them, away from the hustle and bustle of our daily lives. We will have the jobs and the homes to live in. We won't need people living in tents. Alberta will be a place that migratory workers want to make home, not just some cash to take back home, where the quality of life is better.

Yes we have all the things needed to make a great province, when we get a leader with a vision and a concern for Albertans. Stand and shine our leaders Tory, Liberal, and NDP, and lead us to our future, don't be followers.

Chris Goss
Edmonton



A call for parenting

The summer is almost over and our children will soon be back in school. How are all you parents doing? With the two month summer break from school for our children, one can say it really tests, challenges and sometimes just frustrates our parenting skills. But then again, some parents look forward to this time with their children, and really these two months develop a greater bonding time with their children. What makes the difference?

In looking at what makes the difference, there really is no easy answer.

In the past and over the years did this parenting difference also exist? Maybe, probably, no and yes are all possible answers. Let us look a little bit about what the parenting attitude was only about 50 years ago.

How many of you remember the TV series "Bonanza"? It was the nation's most popular western series ever, starring Lorne Green, Michael Landon, Dan Blocker and Pernell Roberts. The series started in 1959 and ran for 14 years. The series was a ground-breaker in its day, filmed in colour at a time when most television shows were in black and white. Best of all, the family-oriented adventures of the Cartwright clan were a refreshing change from the gun-slinging westerns that dominated previously. What can be noted most about this series is the reinforcing of right and wrong values. In other words, as families watched this series together, parenting skills were being reinforced. This is only one example. But with a series like this, it made parenting easier. Today, our TV shows don't seem to assist parents in parenting.

Today, parenting is not always easy. For example, recently I had the opportunity to experience the presence of grandchildren in our home. It is a simple example, but when our children were little, it was acceptable to slap their fingers if

they would touch something that they shouldn't. As a parent, what I was doing was really showing them the limits of what they could do and could not do. The result was that the young children soon learned their boundaries.

Today, I watched my children who are now parents deal with their children. They are not doing what I did. They 'redirect' their children when the children are doing something they shouldn't be doing. What this really means is that parents have to be with their children all the time because the children are not learning what they should not be doing when the parents are not around. But then again, is my observation correct? Only the young parents will be able to answer that question.

Speaking of young parents, let me ask a question of some of you. Where are you? If you were using the parenting skill of 'redirection' with your young children, why are you not still with them when they are teenagers? Do you not think some of them still need some 'redirecting' of their behaviour? From a community perspective, over the summer, it has been noticed that property has been damaged, items from some property have been stolen, and other wrongs have been committed.

It is so easy to say, "Where are the police? Where is the COPS program?" or "Where are the community programs to deal with these kids?" These are easy questions with easy 'assumed' answers. But, let us turn the question around. "Where are the parents?" Parents need to take back their parenting skills and use them. Parents need to be parents to their children, regardless of what age they are. Yes, the community is saying, "enough is enough." Take back your responsibility and be a parent.

It is a call for parenting - be a parent!



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from the FCSS desk

WAY BACK WHEN...

A million bushels and a Bicentennial

HERE'S THE NEWS THAT MADE THE HEADLINES OF THE ELK POINT REVIEW AND THE LAKELAND REVIEW FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 14 IN...

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Steve Sribney received an engraved plaque and a framed replica of his cash ticket from Alberta Wheat Pool elevator agent Brian Fuller after he delivered the millionth bushel of grain for

the 1986-87 crop year on July 15. Elk Point's new water meters would measure water in cubic metres rather than gallons, public works superintendent Ron Fraess told town council.

1992

The August 1, 2 and 3 Bicentennial celebrations were "an unequalled success," said coordinator Billie Milholland. Over 2,500 people visited

the Artisans' Festival, motels were packed and a record number of people stopped at the tourist information centre during the activity-filled weekend. Those interested in forming a Friends of the Forts group were invited to an organizational meeting by Historical Society president Sheila Thompson for "a group with something for everyone."

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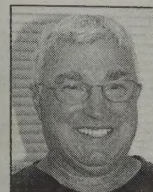
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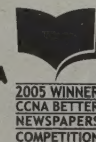


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Cards sweep Sox in double header

How do you expect to be at your best if you never practice? I guess we will have to address that next year at spring camp. The senior Sox playing in only their second outing in the last four years, maybe did need a little more practice, but the whole object of the exercise wasn't about them anyway, it was about keeping the Western Canada AA midget final host team, the Cold Lake Cardinals, in tune for next weekend.

This coming weekend, Cold Lake, which has a number of our Elk Point boys in the lineup, will be hosting the finals against the best in the west. The best AA teams from B.C., Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Alberta will be playing along with the host Cold Lake.

A double header against alumni from the 2003 Midget Provincial champion Elk Point Sox this past Sunday at Bassett Field, the second and third game in the three-game series, made for another very entertaining afternoon, other than the fact that the weather wasn't the best. Seems to me we were complaining about the unbearable heat only one

week ago, and now every one was bundled up under blankets and sleeping bags. Only in Alberta, you say!



doug BASSETT
Review Sports

Anyway, even if the Sox alumni did lose both games to the midgets, they did do a fine job of keeping it competitive and at the same time keeping the Cold Lake Cardinals in shape.

Here's a little bio on our local boys who will be playing this coming weekend.

Ryan 'Little M' MacDonald - pitcher and center field. Batting average of .423 was the fourth best on the team, with 11 RBI's on the year. Excellent bunter. Leads the team in stolen bases with 28. Faced a total of 225 batters for the year, striking out 51 and won four games with an earned run average of 4.06 the lowest on the team

John 'the Hammer' Schmitt - pitcher, third base and outfield. Batting average of .360 with 11 RBI's on the year and 12 stolen bases.

A first year aged midget who is already playing in his third year of midget ball he has an excellent future with the team.

"Sonny Boy" Benson

- Batting in the clean up spot with an average of .412 and 12 RBI's on the year. Plays first and third base, has a strong arm and good glove

Ben 'Radar' Blacklock

- Outfielder who is still only a bantam aged player, he did an excellent job of tracking down balls, and only dropped one all season while making a total of 16 catches. Did well at the plate as well, batting .225 with 9 RBI's

Jordan 'Bacon' Leroux - Catcher and pitcher A real competitor, batting average of .439 the second best on the team, with 9 RBI's and 25 stolen bases. Comes to play every day.

Sean Joly - Pitcher and catcher. The lead off batter with the third best average of .431 batting and 13 RBI's. 23 stolen bases. Faced 188 batters striking out 53 the team best.

'Tater' Jensen - First base. Missed much of the later part of the year with injuries and other commitments, but had a good start



Doug Bassett photo

The Elk Point Connection: left to right: 'Sonny Boy' Benson, Ben 'Radar' Blacklock, Jordan 'Bacon' Leroux, John 'the Hammer' Schmitt, Ryan 'Little M' MacDonald, missing Sean Joly, 'Tater' Jensen, and Assistant coach Tyler Loughran.

with an on-base average of .349 with 8 RBI's and fielded 62 catches at first.

Tyler Loughran - Too old by one week to play midget, Tyler was terrific all year helping out in the coaching department.

And now for the K.A. Campbell quote of the week. "Managing is never fun. If you pull off something big, it's expected. If you fail, you're a bum." Last week's answer to "I believe in rules. I also believe I have the right to test the rules by seeing how far they can be bent." - Leo Durocher.

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SCHOOLS:

- * Ashmont Elementary Community School, K-6 - Registration of **new** students August 29, 2007 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm - Full registration on September 4, 2007.
- * Ashmont Secondary Community School, 7-12 -- Registration of **new** students August 29, 2007 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Full registration on September 4, 2007.
- * Ecole Elementaire St. Paul Elementary Community School, K-5 - English & Alternative French Programs.
- * Ecole Mallaig Community School, K-12 -- English & Alternative French Programs.
- * Ecole Racette School, 6-9 -- English & Alternative French Programs
- * Elk Point Elementary School, K-6
- * F.G. Miller Jr./Sr. High School, 7-12 - Registration payment August 28 & August 29, 2007 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm
- * Glen Avon School, K-9
- * Heinsburg Community School, K-12
- * New Myrnam School, K-12 -- Registration of **new** students August 29, 2007, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Full registration on September 4, 2007.
- * St. Paul Alternate Education Centre, 1-12 and St. Paul Store Front Campus, 7-12 (by interview)
- * St. Paul Regional High School, 10-12
- * Two Hills School, K-12 -- Registration of **new** students August 29, 2007 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. Full registration on September 4, 2007.
- * Two Hills Mennonite School, K-12 -- Registration of **new** students August 29, 2007 from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm. Full registration on September 4, 2007.

The above noted schools, **unless otherwise specified**, will be open on Tuesday, August 28 and Wednesday, August 29, 2007, from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm, for purposes of **registering students** kindergarten to grade 12, payment of registration and rental fees, timetable distribution, locker assignment (where applicable), and information distribution for the 2007 / 2008 school year.

All parents, who had not pre-registered and paid for fees in June, are encouraged to register their child(ren) during these two days so that the first day of school, Tuesday, September 4, 2007, is a full and productive day for students.

*** Please note: Required at the time of registration:** legal land description for all rural residents and street addresses for students living in towns or villages; also for first time registrants previous year's documentation, birth certificates and AB Health Care Card are required.

*** Due to limited space in certain schools, consideration will be given to students who are currently registered in these schools.**

STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES -- Parents who require information or who wish to make arrangements, regarding student transportation in rural areas for the 2007/2008 school year may contact the office at (780) 645-3323.

TOWN OF ST. PAUL BUSSING
Bus passes will be sold **commencing AUGUST 20, 2007** at St. Paul Education Regional Division No. 1, 4901-47 Street, St. Paul, AB. Please be advised that bussing for the town of St. Paul is very limited, therefore, student transportation will be provided on a **first-come, first-serve basis**.

Prices for 2007/2008 are as follows:
ECS - \$70 per student
Gr. 1-12 - \$125 per student.
(to a maximum of \$300 per family)

ELK POINT CENTENNIAL QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Seventy years and more of golf

Golf in Elk Point dates back more than 70 years. Doctors Miller and Ross were said to have a few holes laid out in the southeast corner of the old townsite, and were so dedicated to the sport that they painted their golf balls red so they could find them in the snow.

The present golf course location dates back to 1937, when a club was formed, nine holes were laid out on land owned by Dr. F. G. Miller, with turf cut out of the open prairie to create sand greens, and nine tin cans, with the ends cut out, buried for cups.

Early golfers included C. J. Markstad, Hugh McQuillan, L. W. Sumpton, Grant Field, Buck Eaton, Drs. Miller and Ross, Bill Milholland, Dr. K. C. Miller, Dr. George Miller, and in later years, Fred Lorensen, Harry Shewchuk, R. E. Beattie and Ron Barwick, among others. One elderly gentleman, Billy Morrison, drove all the way from Dewberry

in his 1929 Plymouth to golf.

In the early days of the course, the club called a farmer with a hay mower to cut the fairways when it became difficult to find balls on the fairways. Later, club members who had acquired power lawn mowers brought them in to do the job, until finally the club was able to purchase a gang-type mower pulled by a borrowed Ford tractor, with volunteers from the club doing the mowing.

For a number of years, Elk Point's airport shared the same quarter section of land, before being moved east of town in 1985, where a much longer runway could be built.

The Town of Elk Point eventually bought the property from the Miller family, and developed a recreation park alongside the golf course, which has been realigned in recent years and now has grass greens and a pleasant clubhouse, thanks to seven decades of volunteer involvement.



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Applications for bursaries must include proof of enrollment in a full program and an acceptance letter from the education institution, as well as proof of eligibility.

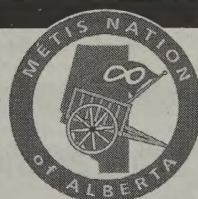
Applications must be received by the Branch no later than October 26, 2007.

Attention Métis Youth! The 2007 Métis Youth Career and Education Conference August 16, to 19, in St. Paul.

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Souray's on the way

By MIKE POMERLEAU
Staff Writer

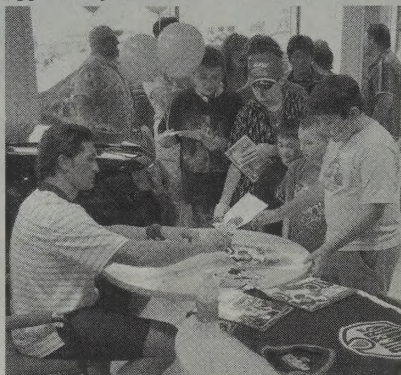
There wasn't much to it when Sheldon Souray decided to sign with the Edmonton Oilers. He just wanted to wait for the right offer and still have the chance to play on a competitive team. In this case, Souray got both of those when he signed with the Oilers almost a month ago.

Souray, who is a native of the Elk Point area, was the last of the big name free agents left on the market had signed a five-year deal with the Edmonton Oilers worth \$27 million dollars. He enjoyed his best season as a pro with the Montreal Canadiens last season leading all defencemen in scoring with 26 goals and finishing with a career high 64 points. He entered the off-season as an unrestricted free agent and was one of the top defencemen on the market in the off-season. And after testing the market, he finally signed a long-term deal with the Oilers, a decision he said was easy to make.

"There an organization that wants to win and the people and the fans around them want them to win also," said Souray. "I was around there a couple of years ago when they made it to the finals and saw the supporters that this team gets. To know the kind of support they're getting it was pretty much a no brainer."

Souray also admitted that one reason he signed with the Oilers was the chance to come back home and play for a team that he cheered for when he was younger. To get the chance to come back home and play for your childhood team was another reason why Souray chose to sign with the Oilers.

"Yeah, I always thought it would be awesome to play for them," he said. "The thing with Edmonton it just came about so quickly and as soon as we started talking the situation for me was almost perfect. So I was really excited to come home and get an opportunity like this."



New Oiler Sheldon Souray signs autographs for a long lineup of eager fans.

But at the beginning of the free agent period it didn't look like Souray was going to sign with anybody. Every other big name that was on the market was signing with a different team and other players that were rated lower than Souray at the beginning of free agency also signed before him. But Souray remained optimistic and knew that sooner or later, he too would sign with somebody.

"Maybe from the outside there was a lot of things going on but I was in no rush," said Souray. "I was able to evaluate things especially for the long term. I wanted to go somewhere where I thought I could win."

"I didn't feel like I was rushed and my plan wasn't to go and sign for the most money," Souray added. "Just the best situation and compliment a new team. We could afford to be patient."

As far signing with Oilers long term, Souray hopes that the signing helps in the short term. He said that expectations are really high entering this season and that the club is hoping to get into the playoffs once again.

"For sure getting back to the playoffs is our main goal," he said. "The expectation is very high and they have lots to prove this year. They guys are excited and we got a lot of new faces. We're optimistic."

Souray also added how that the organi-

zation holds itself in high standard and as a player, they're serious about staying in the playoff picture.

"They're spending money and they want to compete and they want to win. And the guys that are there they have faith in the organization and that's what it's all about."

Souray's success hasn't come easy. For years, he has had to battle in the NHL and earlier in his career he suffered a serious leg injury. But when he came back he made an immediate impact and became a point a game player and for a defenceman that's no easy feat. His recent accomplishments from posting career highs in goals and points to starting in the All-Star game this past season have helped him become one of the top defencemen in the league. And if there was one message he would say to anybody who's wanting to have success in hockey like he has, it's to keep working hard.

"I'm lucky, I almost had a career ending injury and that just changed my outlook," said Souray. "I tried to be a contributor and there are parts of my game that I have still to prove."

"But for anybody who wanting success in hockey, then it's that old cliché you just got to work hard," said Souray. "Whether it's us or a peewee team you just want to go and give it your best and stick with it and work hard. Just do the best you can."

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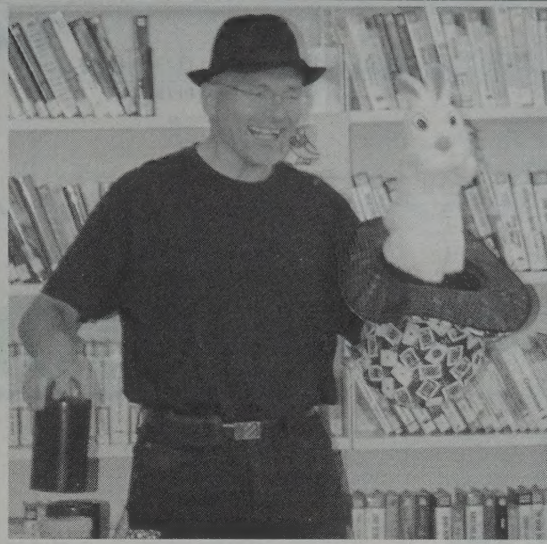


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Vicki Brooker photos

Magic at the library

Children's educational entertainer Brian Lehr pulled out a rascally rabbit out of his hat at Elk Point Municipal Library last Thursday, as part of an hour-long show that played to a packed house of children and adults. At left, young wizard Dustin made candy mysteriously appear by intoning the magic words: "Reading is Fun!"

OBITUARY

PALINKA, Peter

On August 7, 2007, Mr. Peter Palinka of Two Hills, formerly of Elk Point, passed away at the age of 88 years.

He is survived by 3 sons & 1 daughter, Les Palinka of San Diego, California, Bob (Lisa) Palinka of St. Paul, Archie (Dr. Sandra) Palinka of Oshawa, ON and Beverly (Terry) Kereluk of Sherwood Park; 7 grandchildren, Justin (Joelle) Kereluk, Brianne Palinka, Benjamin Palinka, Karissa Palinka, Bethany Palinka, Ricky Palinka & Jackie Palinka; 3 sisters, Mary Kiefiuk of Detroit, Michigan, Elizabeth Letwin of Ottawa, ON, & Annie Leaf of Edmonton; 1 sister-in-law, Anne Palinka of St. Paul; numerous nieces & nephews. He was predeceased by his wife, Jennie in 2002; son, Jerry in 1971; parents, Mykyta & Ann Palinka; 6 brothers, Metro, Bill, John, Harry, Nick & Mike; 2 sisters, Minnie Yantus & Lena Chessik.

A Funeral Service was held Sunday, August 12 at 11:00 a.m. at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, Beauvallon. Pastor Daniel Rebsomen & Pastor Brian Bechthold officiated with interment in Pobida Cemetery, Beauvallon. If desired, donations may be made to Two Hills Health Care Centre c/o Box 425, St. Paul, AB T0A 3A0.

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OBITUARY

CROSS, Marie Rose

On August 9, 2007, Mrs. Marie Rose Cross of Frog Lake passed away at the age of 78 years.

She is survived by 5 sons, William (Pearl), Richard (Stella), Leonard & Elvis all of Frog Lake & Anthony (Janice Redcrow) of Saddle Lake; 1 adopted son, Barry Horse of Frog Lake; 12 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren & 1 brother, Bill Peechow of Frog Lake. She was predeceased by her husband, Gabriel; 4 sons, George, Willard, Alfred & Leslie; 2 daughters, Lillian Lethan & Doreen Peechow; parents, Nancy & Joe Peechow & 1 sister, Isabel Littlewolf.

Prayer Services were held Sunday & Monday, August 12 & 13 at the Frog Lake Careers Centre, Frog Lake. Funeral Service Tuesday, August 14 at 11:00 a.m. at the Frog Lake Careers Centre, Frog Lake. Pastor Wilfred Cross officiating with interment in the Clearwater Lake Cemetery, Frog Lake.

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IN MEMORIAM

HAVENER, Christopher

Jan. 28, 1958-Aug. 15, 2006



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Always will love you in death the same.

Gail and Nichole.

THANK YOU

THIR, Joe

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the kindness and compassion shown to our family during the recent loss of our father and gido, Joe Thir.

Special thanks to Dr. Ramful and the caring staff at Parkview Extended Care, Reverend Sam Donaldson for his visit to our home and his uplifting service, to Natalie and Harrison for presenting their gido's eulogy, Sherry Oszust for her beautiful music and the ladies of the Elk Point Seniors Centre for preparing the lovely lunch. We are grateful for the attendance of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (PPCLI) at the service. The many cards and letters received from across Canada from the "Patricia's family" meant so much to us. Thank you also to the Royal Canadian Legion members for their presence at the service and to Sgt. Jeff Gaye from Cold Lake 4 Wing for the Last Post Tribute.

To all of our neighbours, friends and relatives who sent flowers, made phone calls, brought gifts of food and made donations in Joe's memory, we sincerely thank you. Lastly, thank you to the staff at Yewchin's Funeral Chapel for their excellent service and especially to Caroline Yewchin for her caring and gentle guidance.

All of support that we received has made this difficult journey a little less daunting and a great deal more comforting and encouraging.

Desiree & Rocky Maas & Family

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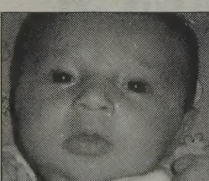
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President's message

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Every year our community puts out the welcome mat for all who attend. People come from near and far, to golf, socialize and discuss the past year's happenings with those whom they only get the opportunity to see at functions such as this. These kinds of social events provide a forum for workers to get to know each other in a relaxed environment where the daily grind and the bottom dollar are set aside, and fellowship becomes the norm.

A big thank you goes out to all the businesses who are involved with this event. They donate prizes and funds and allow their employees the time off to attend

and also to organize this function.

Remember to have fun, but please be responsible and use the shuttle if you have been drinking. Also, remember that the shuttle is a fundraiser for a local club, so don't be afraid to help them out financially.

Last, but not least, a huge thank you to all of our members who have spent the past few months ensuring that not detail has been overlooked, so that those who attend eagerly anticipate coming back next year. If you see them over the weekend, thank them yourself and don't be afraid to give them any ideas you have that might make things even better. Remember, the only thing that remains constant is... change!

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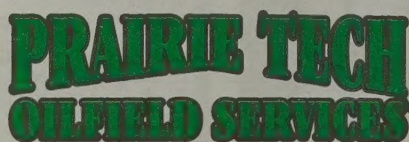


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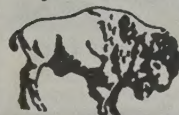


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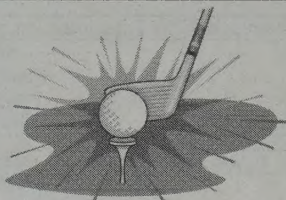
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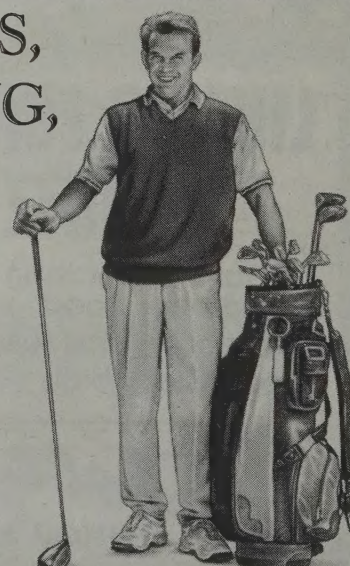
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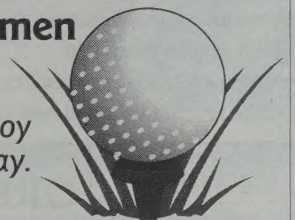
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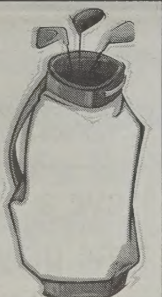
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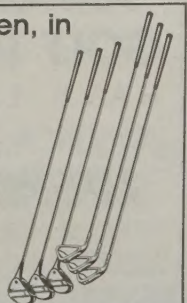
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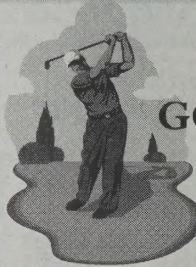
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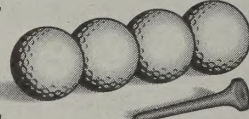


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From the archives



2002 - 16 flights - Dave Cousins (top left) congratulated the winners of the championship through seventh flights: (front, left to right) Championship - William John, 1st- Greg Desaulniers, 2nd - Leo Carriere, 3rd - Dan Povaschuk; back, left to right: Cousins, 4th - Ernie Poirtras, 5th - Jeremy Wetsch, 6th - Roberto Pena, 7th - Lionel Cornet. Not shown: 8th - Tracy Ball, 9th - Curtis Chomlak, 10th - Jason Anderson, 11th - Kris Bannister, 12th - Sheldon Olson, 13th - Jeff Moore, 14th - Murry Nielsen, 15th - Troy Simoneau.



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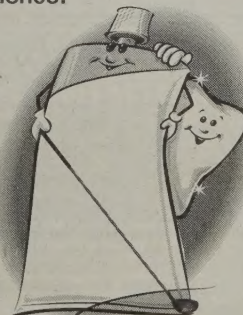
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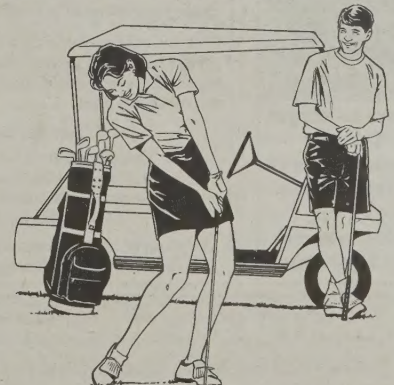
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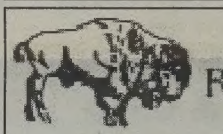
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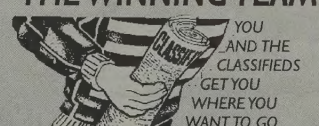
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The August 27 program runs from 7:30 to 9 p.m. with a no-host bar and healthy snacks. There will be an opportunity to register for the activities scheduled for the next day.

At 9 a.m. on Tuesday, August 28, registrations will continue for the activities which begin at 10 a.m. The objective of the day is to allow all participants to experience as many as possible of the following activities: Military Whist, Cribbage, Floor Curling, Carpet Bowling, Euchre, Washer Toss, Snooker, Bocce, Ladder Golf, Disc Golf and Bunnock.

The day's format will allow participants to try out a minimum of six different activities. Chairpersons will explain how the activity is played and then give the participants the opportunity of playing the game. This is not a competition but rather a learning experience for all persons registered.

Participants need not be a member of Alberta 55 Plus (ASCSRA) to enjoy this event.

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Government approves seismic on Marie Lake

By NICOLE GARNER

Bonnyville

Marie Lake cottage owners were disappointed and angry when they got word Thursday that the Alberta government approved OSUM Corp.'s application to do seismic testing on the lake.

"It's a clear message from the Alberta government that (it) doesn't care what Albertans think anymore," said Don Savard, president of the Marie Lake Air and Watershed Society.

For months, local residents have been protesting the company's plans to do seismic work on the lake. They packed local community halls during information meetings held by the company, started a letter writing campaign, gathered 1,200 names on a petition, and even held a protest on the steps of Alberta's legislature.

"I think we got lied to and played for fools by the government," said Chris Goss. "In the spring when the decision was delayed, they were just waiting for the uproar to die down before approving the application."

Goss said the government hasn't replied to any of the letters sent by concerned residents even though they were told the government would listen to their concerns.

Sharon Heigh, campground owner, said everyone is shocked by the decision.

"The local community has been amazing in support of this issue, however the voice of the people fell on deaf ears," she said. "Is this how the Stelmach government guarantees future water supply, quality of life and transparency? No lake is safe in Alberta."

Bonnyville-Cold Lake MLA Denis Ducharme has supported the residents' fight to stop the seismic work from taking place, urging his colleagues to review the existing oil sands development policies.

On Thursday, Ducharme openly criticized the approval and Sustainable Resource Development (SRD) Minister Ted Morton. He said he was "very upset and disappointed" by the "bad decision made by a rookie minister."

Ducharme said the decision was made without Morton answering any of the questions about the environment posed by concerned cottage owners and lake residents.

"It confirms their fears that Alberta is for sale at any price," Ducharme said, pointing out that the oil under Marie Lake is not the last remaining oil left in Alberta, while the lake is vital to the watershed in northeastern Alberta.

Ducharme acknowledged that Morton's options may have been limited by current government policy, but also said that Morton missed an opportunity to show leadership by deciding it was time to review those policies. Ducharme noted that development isn't taking place in undeveloped muskeg areas anymore and it may be time to review the way oil develop-

ment is done, particularly when it has the potential to negatively impact Albertans' quality of life.

SRD spokesperson Dave Ealey said Morton did listen to people's concerns and SRD has placed several conditions on OSUM's application that it hasn't required of other companies doing seismic work on lakes in the province.

"This has raised the bar on anything being conducted of a geophysical exploration nature on water in the province," he said, noting the minister made it clear to the department that the concerns expressed by residents had to be identified and dealt with prior to the application being approved.

Ealey said OSUM has agreed to comply with all of the conditions imposed by SRD. Those conditions include completing a fish and water quality study before starting any seismic testing on the lake and conducting studies during and after the seismic activity to assess the short-, medium- and long-term effects on the lake. The fish study will require information about the age and species composition of the fish community in order to determine the impact on the fish population over time.

SRD is also requiring a buffer zone of 200 metres from

the high water mark all around the lake. In addition to the 200-metre buffer, OSUM will also not be allowed to conduct seismic in water less than three metres deep, even if it is within the buffer zone. There is also a 45-metre buffer zone around the lake for the seismic work OSUM will be doing on the land, in order to protect the riparian habitat.

Ealey said OSUM is also reducing the number of air gun shots it's using in its seismic program by 30 per cent and will be doing the work farther from the cabins than originally identified.

Ealey said OSUM can't start the seismic until after Sept. 15 and will have to be finished before Nov. 15. The company is also required to give lake residents 48 hours notice of when it intends to start the work.

In addition to being upset about the decision itself, Ducharme and Marie Lake residents also expressed dismay about the way they were informed of the application's approval.

Rather than hearing about the decision from Morton himself, Ducharme said he didn't find out about the approval until a reporter called him at home.

"The lack of professional courtesy he showed to a colleague makes me wonder how he feels about Albertans," Ducharme said, noting he had spoken to other Conservative MLAs, including some in Premier Ed Stelmach's cabinet and they were not aware of the decision either.

He said he was unaware whether the premier himself was even informed of the decision, but he hoped to speak to him about it soon.

Goss and Savard were also upset by the way they were told of the approval. Savard found out about the decision when a reporter called him for a comment. He felt the government should have had the courtesy to call members of the group protesting the application and let them know what was happening before releasing information to the media. He said the fact even Ducharme didn't get a heads up was evidence the government doesn't care about Albertans.

"Here's the MLA for the area who should be kept up-to-date and is representing the people of the area and Mr. Morton didn't have the common courtesy to let him know," Savard said. "It tells the people in this area what the government thinks of them."

It is possible for residents to appeal the government's decision through the courts, however Goss said that's unlikely to happen because of the costs associated with a court action. He said the government has set up a system that favours the oil companies' deep pockets. Goss said the average Albertan can't afford to take an oil company to court to fight something like this, nor can they afford to hire someone to do the environmental studies needed to show the potential harmful effects of development.

"The government should be doing due diligence," he said.

Marie Lake seismic conditions

1. Baseline fish and water quality studies: limnology (lake biology); fishery study; sound attenuation study; fish distribution study; water quality tests; turbidity tests; benthic invertebrate sampling; field monitoring of lake whitefish congregations; and a fall Walleye index netting.
2. Buffer zone from high water mark respected; 200 metres lakeward and 45 metres inland
3. Energy source is dynamite on land and air guns over water.
4. Air guns not discharged in water shallower than three metres.
5. Helicopter-assisted operations on land to minimize surface impacts.
6. Boats used will be about seven metres in length, with seven to nine boats working at any one time.
7. Program shifted to fall from early summer to reduce disturbance of recreational lake users.
8. Recorded shots reduced by 30 per cent from original seismic program.
9. Seismic program shifted farther from lake cabins than originally planned.
10. To reduce the visual impact, the recording equipment will be submerged to the bottom of the lake rather than using floating instrumentation.
11. A security deposit is posted by OSUM to ensure the studies are completed.

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